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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 1

Part B for Dec. 1923

SUBJECT

Maintenance of riding horses for Inspection work

To
The Revenue Commissioner in Hyderabad
The Heads of Departments
The Deputy Commissioners &c.

Rs. 1786-1836 Dy 23-11-23

Impresses upon the executive officers the necessity for maintaining suitable riding horses and doing inspection work in the interior on horseback.

CB 735

Touring on horseback.

A consolidated statement of the particulars received from the Deputy commissioners of Districts (except of Shimoga) is submitted herewith.

The D.C.Shimoga has not furnished the information in spite of reminders.

Particulars have been given only about the Assist. Commrs. of the Rev. Department, except the D.C.Shimoga who gives information about his D.S.P. also.

Submitted.

14.10.23.

Note chief with copy.

Secretary should ordered every alternate week should touch headquarters - giving classes of officers - & reports all officers to do inspection touring visits in headquarters as much as possible.

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G. R. S. III—3]

ROUTINE NOTES.

[To be used only for notes, requisitions, etc., not intended for permanent record.]

Draft put up

Owing to the difficulty
felt in getting reference
relating to previous
orders on the subject
there has been a little
delay in putting up
the order

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Ch Secy

draft submitted
to
Dewan Sahib

Gazette.

Feb. 5th 1915

A reply since received
from the Dt. Division is
also placed in the file.
Forwarded with compliments.

B.O.
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P.S.B.

Superintendent
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ROUTINE NOTES.

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The Rev. comr, Hemis at Depth.

& Deputy comrs of Dists.

G.O. no 1486-1836 & 23.11.23

emphasises upon the executive officers ~~duties~~ the necessity for maintaining suitable riding horses and doing inspection work in the interior on horse back.

D.S.N. submitted

Sent 26.11.23

Chief Secy)

forward with D.S.N.

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DEWAN'S OFFICE.
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Submitted to His Highness.

I recently conducted an enquiry as to the extent to which the standing orders about the touring of executive officers on horse-back were being followed. Finding from the statements received from the Deputy Commissioners of Districts that the touring done on horse-back by officers in different departments is inappreciable and unsatisfactory, I have had instructions issued to the Heads of Departments and Deputy Commissioners drawing their attention to the existing rules in respect of the maintenance of horses and directing them to see that their subordinate officers actually perform their inspection work in the interior on horseback.

The connected papers are submitted for gracious perusal.

Camp, Mysore,
5th December 1923.

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Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja

Subject.

Circular letter to Heads of Departments and Deputy Commissioners re. touring on horseback by Executive Officers.

Order.

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TOURING DONE BY DISTRICT OFFICERS, ON HORSEBACK.

(1922-23)

Name of Officer.	No. of days toured.	Mileage covered.	Remarks.
1. Kadur District.			
1. Deputy Commissioner. (M.G.Krishnaswami Rao)	19	249	
2. S.D.O., Chikmagalur Tk. (Mr. K.Subba Rao).	19	298	Mostly during Xmas & in March. In charge of Try. and could not move out except on holidays. Touring done on a friends's horse. Wants facilities for touring out, maintaining a horse of his own. Could not get leave to go to Bangalore & buy a mount.
3. S.D.C. Tarikere (Mr.M. Ismail Sheriff)	~~28~~	20	Was in charge of Try. & had not much occasion to ride.
2. Chitaldrug District.			
1. Deputy Commissioner (Mr. R.Nanasamy Rao)	"	"	During the 6 months of his stay, no touring wholly on horseback done. Rides whenever necessary for inspection. Details not maintained.
2. S.D.C. Davangere. (Mr. M. Chennaraj Urs)	24	234	Approximate figures given from memory. No separate record kept.
3. S.D.C. Chitaldrug. (Mr. S.N.Appanna Iyengar)			(On Leave)
3. Kolar District.			
1. Deputy Commissioner. (Mr. S. Hiriyannaiya)			No record maintained. Will be maintained heareafter.
2. S.D.C.Chiktallapur (Mr. S.Abdul Wajid)			Toured out for 136 days in all, most of which was done either in trap or on horse. No accurate record of number of days & miles so covered maintained, but at least 25% of journeys must have been done on horseback.
3. S.D.O. Kolar- 1 Mr.M.Navanitham (Sep.-Ap.)	61	815.	
2. Mr.B.Srinivasa Iyengar (May &June)	14	256	
3. do.- as Try. Asst.Com. & in charge of Kolar Tk.	29	261.	517
	43		

Name of Officer.	No.of days toured.	Mileage covered.	Remarks.
4. Mysore District.			
1. Deputy Commissioner (Mr. B.Ramaswamaiya)	(No record kept. Inspections generally done on horseback in the interior.)		
2. S.D.C., Mysore (Mr. M.N.Balaraj Urs)	65	730	
3. S.D.C. Freanch Rocks (Mr. S.Narayana Rao)	34	543½	Took charge on 27-9-1922.
4. Special L.A. Officer,K.R.S.) (Mr. T. Govinda Rao)	3	24.	Says it is not usual to note in diaries whether journeys were made on horseback. Not always possible to use horse in interior. Wherever possible, horses are used.
5. Hassan District.			
1 Deputy Commissioner (Mr.K.Mylar Rao)	20	218	58 Interior villages & 11 roadside villages. (Full details of every inspection given)
2. S.D.C. Saklespur (Mr.B.Narayanaswami Iygr.)	27	264½	(Assumed charge 8th Nov.22.)
3 S.D.C. Hole-Narasipur (Mr. T.Ramaiya)	Unable to give definite figures. Roughly half road journey performed on horseback.		
4. P. Suryanarayana Chetty Try.Asst.Comr.& S.D.O. in charge of Hassan & Alur.	No horse maintained. Journeys performed sometimes on bicycle & sometimes on foot.		
6. Tumkur District.			
1 Deputy Commissioner (Mr. Zehiruddin Mecci)	37	656	Interior villages 228. Roadside villages 31.
2. S.D.O.,Gubbi. (Mr.T.Abdul Khader)	45	483	(Mileage ~~worked~~ covered 88)
3 S.D.O., Maddagiri (Mr. M.Venkatesa Iyengar)	7	80	Assumed charge 20-1-1923.
4. Try. Asst. Comr.(in charge of Tumkur Taluk) (Mr. S.Reuben)	27	336	(Mileage covered 202).
5. Dist. Supdt. of Police (Mr.P.H.Krishna Rao)	85	1478	

Name of officer.	No. of days toured.	Miles covered.	Remarks.
7. Bangalore District.			
1. Deputy Commissioner (Mr. B. Venkoba Rao)	9	66	Assumed charge 2-1-23. Rule requires travelling should be on horse, or on footor in open carriage. Motor is an open carriage & saves time. Walking can more easily combined with motoring. Gives particulars of journeys made on foot.
2. S.D.O. in charge of Bangalore Taluk	2	13	
3 S.D.O. Closepet-			
1.Mr.M.P.Viswanatha Rao (July-Sep.22)	28	373	
2. Mr.A.Krishnaswami Iyr. (Dec. 22)	1	23	
3.Mr. Navanitham Naidu (May & June 23)	16	187	
4 S.D.O. Dodballapur.	58	939.	
8. Shimoga District.			

Bangalore,

~~D.O.~~ No. 36-43 12th August 23.

Dear Sir,

I am desired by the Dewan to request you to be so good as to let me know, for his information, the number of days on which you have toured out on horseback, for the year 1922-23, with details of mileage covered on such occasions.

Similar figures may also be kindly furnished for the Assistant Commissioners working under you.

Yours sincerely,

(P.S.D.)

Draft for approval.

The Dy. Commrs. of Districts.

D.O. No 24
23-8-23

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District,
Dated Tumkur, the 15th August 1923.

Dear sir,

In reply to your D.O. No. 36-43 of the 12th instant, I note in the margin* the number of days I toured on horseback in 1922-1923 with details of mileage covered on such occasions. Particulars have been called for from the Assistant Commissioners working in this District and will be furnished on receipt.

Subd for perusal
16/8/23.

* No of days on horseback. 37.
No. of miles covered by inspection on horseback. 656.

No of villages inspected :-

Roadside	31
Interior	228
Total no. of villages.	259.

yours sincerely,
M Zahiruddin Ahmed

G. Sundarao Rao, Esquire., B.A.,
Private Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore,
Bangalore.

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Exc 2

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug District.
Dated Chitaldrug, 21st August 1923.

Dear sir,

With reference to your D. O. No. 36-43 dated 12th Augus enquiring how many days in the year 1922-23 I toured on horseback with details of mileage, I write to say that during the 6 months of my stay in this District for the year 1922-23, no touring was made wholly on horseback. I, of course ride whenever necessary for purposes of inspection but the details of inspections so made are not maintained by me.

Subd. T. 22.8.23.

I send enclosed the statement of the Sub Division Officer, Davangere, giving information as regards his touring on horseback. Mr. Appanniengar, Sub Division Officer of Chitaldrug i now on privilege leave for 28 days and his touring on horseback cannot be ascertained till his return. But I do not wish to delay any longer sending a reply to your D. O.

Yours sincerely,

To

G. Sundara Rao Esquire B.A.,
Private Secretary to the Dewan,
BANGALORE.

D. O. No. 5 23-24.

Davangere,
17th August 1923.

Dear Sir,

Your D.O. letter No. 18 of 23-24 dated 13-8-23 to hand. In reply to the above I beg to state that I have toured out for about 24 days on horse back during the year 1922-23 covering a total distance of about 234 miles. As no record has been kept of the days on which I toured on horse back, the information is given from memory.

A detailed list showing the particulars is submitted herewith for kind perusal

Yours Sincerely,

17/8/23

To,

R. Ranaswamy Rao, Esquire,
Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug District,

List showing the details of journey performed by the Assistant Commissioner, Davangere Sub Division on horse back during the year 1922-23.

Date of Journey.	P l a c e s v i s i t e d .	Number of Miles travelled.
23- 10 - 22	Harihar to Malebennur.	12
24- 10 - 22	Malebennur to Komarnahalli and back to Malebennur.	2
25- 10 -22	Malebennur to Harihar	12
23-11-1922	Davangere to Anagodu	10
25-11-1922	Anagodu to Davangere	10
9-12-1922	Harihar to Malebennur	12
10-12-1922	Malebennur to Komarnahalli and back to Malebennur	2
12-12-1922	Davangere to Kukkuvada	11
14-12-1922	Kukkuvada to Kaidale, ~~Kolkunte~~ Kullahalli, Lokikere, Giriyapura and back.	12
15-12-1922	Kukkuvada to Davangere.	11
25-12-1922	Mayakonda to Hindasagatta, Kyatanahalli, Malkunda Sankaranahalli, Gujjikonda and back.	10
26-12-1922	Mayakonda to Bhavihalu, Annapura, Dindadahalli, Dodda-Magadi and back.	10
1- 1-1923	Chikjajur to Banagere, Kotehal, Hosahalli, Kodagavalli and back.	10
9- 1-1923	Holalkere to Cheernahalli, Chattanahalli, Apparasanahalli Harenahalli, Dasarahalli, Adanur and back.	12
12-1-1923	Chitrahalli to Nulenur, Banjagondanahalli, Brahmapura, Echagatta and back.	11
13-1-1923	Chitrahalli to Amritapura	4
27-1-1923	Hosadurgg to Bokikere, Kyadigere, Mettinahole, Channa-samudra and back	13
30-1-1923	Hosadurga Road to Rangaiahnadurga Kaval, Bidarkere, Thalagatta, Vaderahalli and back	14
31-1-1923	Hosadurga road to Malapanahalli, Anivala, Chikkammanahalli and back.	6
10-2-1923	Mathodu to Tharikere, Nerlakere, Kappanaikanahalli & back	9
11-2-1923	Mathodu to Srirampura.	14
12-2-1923	Srirampura to Gaverangapura, Somenahalli, Kumbarahalli, Mallihalli, Sujikal and back	11
13-2-1923	Somasamudra to Hosadurga	9
24-2-1923	Devapura to Hosadurga	7
	Total number of miles	234

Davangere, 17/8/23.

17/8/23

Assistant Commissioner,
Davangere Sub Division.

D.O.No. C.18 23-24 Exc One

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Hassan District,
Dated Hassan, the 28th August 23.

Dear Mr. Sundara Rao,

With reference to your D.O.No. 36-43 dated 12th August 1923, calling for information about the journey performed by me on horse-back during the year 1922-23, I enclose herein a statement shewing the required particulars.

Rcvd. 28.8.23.

Similar information has been called for from the Sub Divisional Officers also and will be forwarded as soon as it is received here.

Yours sincerely,
K. Sundara Rao

To

K. Sundara Rao, Esq., M.A.,
Private Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

Statement shewing the journey performed on horse-back by the Deputy Commissioner, Hassan District, for the year 1922 - 1923.

Date.	Particulars of Journey.	Villages inspected. R.S.	Villages inspected. Int.	Distance travelled on Horse-back.
8-7-22	Hassan to Salagame and back.	Salagame R.S.		11
9-7-22	Hassan to Gendekatte Village Forest and back.	Kavvanahally R.S.		10
-7-22	Hassan to Kenchatvally and back.		Chikkagonigere Int. Doddagonigere Int. Doddahonnenahally Int. Kachanaikanahally Int. Doddabasavanahally Int. Bommanaikanahally Int.	11
23-9-22	Hassan to His Highness' camp and thence to Sri Ramadevar Dam.	Thimmegowdanhoppal.		21
1[illegible]-10-22	Hassan to Somanahally and back.	Kyarhally R.S.	Somanahally Int.	12
15-11-22	Dudda to Gandasi via Anehally.		Anehally Int. Gandasi R.S.	15
16-11-22	Gandasi to Arsikere inspecting Raval lands and the marginally noted villages.		Mangalapura Int. Malagonahally Int. Kududi R.S.	13
17-11-22	Arsikere to Jajur Plantation and back.	Jajur R.S.	Malanaikanhally Int. Katikere Int.	12

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13-11-22.	Harnahally to Halekalyadi and back to Harnahally Road Ry. Station.	Halekalyadi Int. Harnahally ... . Karigunda Int. Byaladakere Int. Haralhally Int.	19
14-11-22.	Palya to Chigalur and back in the morning.	Bettadahally Int. Chigalur. Int.	14
21-12-22.	Dandiganahally to Katrigatta and back inspecting the marginally noted villages.	Hirihally Int. Vagarhally Int. Baladare Int. Katrigatta Int.	9
23-12-22.	Rode some distance between Dandiganahally and Bagur.		2
27-12-22.	Bagur to Chowdenahally and back.	Bagur Int. Kurubarahally Int. Kurudahally Int. Dyavanur Int. Honnenahally Int, Chowdenahally Int.	8
28-12-22.	Bagur to Dyavenahally and back.	Moravanhally Int. Huruvanka Int. Byaladakere Int. Dollarhosahally Int. Dyavenahally Int.	7
29-12-22.	Santhesivara to Chenganahally and back.	Santhesivara Int. Mosahally Int. Kachanagatta Int. Bannonahally Int. Duggonahally Int. Chenganahally Int.	6
18-1-23.	Huggehally to Basavapatna and back.	Huggehally R.S. Honnamarnahall Int. Avarehally Int. Kavinahally Int. Virupakshipura Int. Basapura Int. Basavanapura Int.	11

19-1-23.

19-1-23.	Nuggehally to Huvinahally and back.	Byavalapura R.S. Agrahar Bilaguli Int. Hosur Int. Nerlakere Int. Mulakere Int. Huvinahally Int.	12
20-1-23.	Nuggehally to Basapura and back.	Basapura Int.	4
22-1-23.	Hirisave to Jinnenahally and back.	Balaganhally Int. Toti Int. Jinnenahally Int.	8
24-1-23.	Hirisave to Devarahally.	Kodibelagula Int. Halebelagula Int. Shivapura Int. Bekka Int. Devarahally.R.S.	12

	Interior villages.	58	
	Roadside villages.	11	
T o t a l.	Villages.	69	Total distance. 218 miles

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DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,

HASSAN DISTRICT.

IV-D. 8220-31
23-24
Encls. Three Statements.

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,

Deputy Commissioner,

Dated Bangalore, 30th August 1923.

Dear Sir,

In continuation of my D.O.letter No.C.C.53 of 23-24 of the 15th instant, I beg to submit herewith - three statements showing the touring work done on horse-back by the Sub Division Officers, during the year - 1922-23.

Yours sincerely,

B Sambasiva Rao

G. Sundara Rao, Esq., B.A.,

Private Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore,

BANGALORE.

Extract of D.O.letter dated 17th August 1923 from the Assistant Commissioner in charge of Bangalore Taluk, to the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.

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I toured out on horseback only on two occasions covering altogether about 13 miles.

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Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District.

Statement showing the number of days toured out on horseback by the several Sub Division Officers in charge of Closepet Sub Division, during 1922-23. (prepared as per Deputy Commissioner's No.C.C.53 of 23-24 dated 14th August 1923).

S.No.	Month.	No.of days.	No.of miles.	Remarks.
		By Mr.M.P.Viswanatha Rao.		
1.	July 1922.	6	64	
2.	August 1922.	14	193	
3.	September 1922.	8	116	
4.				
		By Mr. A. Krishnaswami Iyengar, B.A,,		
4.	December 1922.	1	23	
		By Mr. M. Navaneetham Naidu, B.A., B.L.,		
5.	May 1923.	9	113	
6.	June 1923.	7	74	
	Total for the year 1922-23.	45	583	

sd/- M.Navaneetham Naidu,

Assistant Commissioner,
Closepet Sub Division.

" C o p y "

Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District.

Extract of statement received from the Sub Division Officer, Dodballapur Sub Division, Bangalore, to the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.

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	Date rode.	Miles.
October at Bangalore.	1	7
	1	7
	1	21
	1	7
	4	42
November.	1	28
	1	22
	1	13
	1	15
	1	24
	1	12
	1	22
	1	28
	1	13
	9	177.
December.	1	14
	1	17
	1	23
	1	40
	1	9
	1	9
	1	7
	1	12
	1	11
	9	142
January 1923.	1	15
	1	6
	1	8
	1	7
	1	8
	1	22
	1	8
	1	12
	1	22
	1	23
	10	131
February 1923.	1	31
	1	12
	1	30
	1	7
	1	25
	1	22
	1	6
	1	7
	1	15
	9	145

42
177
142
131
145
637

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131
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58

	Day.	Miles.
March.	1	6
	1	24
	1	13
	1	32
	1	25
	1	7
	1	21
	7	131
April.	1	8
	1	13
	1	5
	1	25
	1	6
	5	57
May.	1	5
	1	28
	1	30
	1	18
	4	91.
June.	1	23.

"E x t r a c t."

B Venkobarao

Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District.

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No. C.C. 58 Land & Stamps.

D.O.

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District.

Dated Bangalore, 16th August 1923.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your D.O.No.36-43 dated 12th August 1923, I submit herewith a tabular statement extracted from my diaries giving details of work done on dates on which I rode.

2. It is difficult to furnish similar figures for the previous portion of the official year when I was not in charge as the diaries do not usually show how the inspections were made. A statement is however appended showing such particulars as are available.

3. In the month of January, I inspected Doddaballapur town on horseback on the mornings of the 9th and 10th. On the 13th, I rode out and inspected along with the Amildar and the Sub Division Officer the lands of Barigemuddanahalli, Kethmaranahalli and Hanumanthapura in connection with the removal of Nobel's Explosives Lagnite. On the 22nd and 23rd I went on horseback respectively to Mr. McIssac's Estate at Gangemnalli and to the villages of Peddamapalya, Doddamaranahalli and Ajjanahalli in connection with Huzur Jamabandy.

In the month of March on the 3rd I rode over the lands required for the Military Sewage Farm in Vibhuthipura, Koneno Agrahar, Belur, Kempapura and Yemlur villages of Bangalore Taluk. On the 7th of that month, I rode over Kodihalli and Bidalur in Kolumangala Taluk in connection with the settlement of compensation for the lands submerged under the Bidalur tank. On the 10th of the same month I rode over the Whitefield Settlement and the neighbouring interior villages in connection with a report I had to make to the Revenue Commissioner.

In April I rode, on the 12th, with Lord Ruthven, over the lands applied for by him in Gullimangala, Chikanagamangal and Singena Agrahar villages of Anekal Taluk.

In the months of May and June the inspections of offices were very heavy and I was not able to ride in those months. But I inspected some interior villages in these months by combining walking with motoring.

4. I beg permission to make here the following observations. In para 4, Clause (iii) of G.O.No.R.3894-935 dated 14th April 1903, published on page 22 of the Revenue Manual of the Edition of ~~1908~~ 1911, it is said with respect to Assistant Commissioners in charge of Taluks that they should perform their inspections on horse-back or on foot or in an open carriage. This is the practice prevailing with respect to Deputy Commissioners also. A motor car is an open carriage and to combine walking with a motor journey is often more convenient than to combine riding ~~with~~ with it, as it is not always easy to post horses without imminent risk to their health, at the distances which can be reached by motor. A statement is appended showing the dates on which inspections were made by me by walking into villages with details of work done. Road journeys are generally done by motor, not only to save time for the office work which is getting heavy, but also in order to be prepared to move back to Head Quarters or elsewhere at a moment's notice should there be an urgent call. For, now-a-days, while people lament that the leisurely journeys of the olden days into the interior on horse-back are disappearing, they at the same time rather inconsistently expect the Deputy Commissioner to be at different parts of the District almost simultaneously in cases of emergency, which was not being expected in the pre-motor days.

5. Information from Assistant Commissioners has been called for and will be submitted on receipt.

Yours sincerely,

B. Venkoba Rao

To -

G. Sundara Rao, Esq., B.A.,
Private Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore.

Statement showing the details of work done on dates on which the Deputy Commissioner toured out on horseback for the year 1922-23.

Date.	Name of the interior village.	Distance travelled on horseback.	Details of work done.
JAN.23.		Miles.	
9th.	Dodballapur.	7	Inspected Dodballapur town in the morning. The drain behind the Girls' School in Dodballapur requires to be either closed or kept clean in order that it may not be a nuisance to the Girls' School. The Girls' School wants a site for a latrine. If the Education authorities provide funds, a site in the neighbourhood may be acquired. The lighting system in Dodballapur Municipality is now done on the amani system. The Chavadi given to the Municipality is a new due building. A circular will issue xskxx asking Amildars to hand over to local bodies buildings belonging to the Revenue Department only after obtaining written sanction of higher authorities. In the Venkataramanaswami temple a representation was made that one Sr. Venkataramanayya should be made Dharmadarsi. Records will be called for and examined to see how the matter stands. Some amount is requested to be paid for the car festival. This matter also will be examined.
10th.	Dodballapur.	5	Inspected the town. It is said that the Municipality paid Rs.18,000 for water supply 8 years ago and that the matter is pending. Records will be called for and examined and necessary action will be taken. The Madigara School is well conducted. Madigars want a well and a path. The questions will be referred to the Amildar and President of the Dodballapur Municipality to take needful action and make a report. A suggestion has been made that a portion of the income from the local fund now given to the District Board may be given to Municipalities. It was said that the budget of the Municipality sent in last March has not yet been received. The matter will be examined and expedited.
13th.	Barigemuddanahalli. Kethmaranahalli. Hanumanthapura.	6	With the Sub Division Officer and Amildar rode out and inspected the lands of Barigemuddanahalli and Kethmaran-

			in connection with the acquisition of lands for the Minerva Mills and the removal of Nobel's Explosives Magazine from its present position. Made a report to Government after inspection. Saw Hanumanthapur lands also in the inspection.
22nd.	Gangenahalli.	6	Tavarekere to Gangenahalli and back:- Visited Mr.McIssac's Estate at Gangenahalli. To shoot wild animals Mr.McIssac wants 2 gun licenses for his tenants. These will be sanctioned when the applications are made.
23rd.	Peddanapalya. Doddamaranahalli. Ajjanahalli.	13	Tavarekere to Peddanapalya etc. and back:- In the morning went to Peddanapalya, Doddamaranahalli and Ajjanahalli. Examined bandhs and ryots' Pattas and enquired into a complaint against the Sheikdar and returned to Tavarekere inspecting Tavarekere major tank. The bund is overgrown with lantana and requires earth work to the grade level in several grades.
FEB.23 -- Nil.			
MARCH 23. --			
3rd.	Vibhuthipura. Konena Agrahar. Belur. Kempapura. Yemlur.	12	Went with the Amildar, Bangalore Taluk, in the morning and inspected the villages of Vibhuthipura, Konena Agrahar, Belur, Kempapura and Yemlur in connection with the lands to be acquired for the Military Grass Farm.
7th.	Kodihalli. Bidalur.	3	Inspected the lands under Bidalur tank with the Executive Engineer in order to settle the question of compensation for the lands submerged under the tank
15th.	Ramagondanahalli. Hagadur. Nallurhalli.	8	In the morning rode over to Whitefield from Vartur making inspections on the way. The branches of avenues on the road from Vartur to Whitefield require to be cut to the height of 12 feet from the ground. In Ramagondanahalli Service Inam lands have been alienated according to the Amildar. He has been asked to take further action in the matter and report the result. Inspected Hagadur and Nallurhalli villages. Returned to Vartur after conference with the settlers.

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APRIL 23.			
12th.	Gulimangala. Chickanagamangala. Singena Agrahar.	6	In the morning visited the lands applied for by Lord Ruthven in Gulimangala, Chickanagamangala and Singena Agrahar villages of Anekal Taluk.

B. Subba Rao

Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.

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Statement showing the dates on which inspections were made by walking into villages with details of work done. (From January to July 1923).

Date.	Name of the interior village.	Details of work done.
FEB.23.		
2nd.	Kudlu. Thavalkadahalli (Nagadi Taluk).	Inspected Kudlu village belonging to Shivaganga Patt which is under Government management. Collection is good. Thavalkadahalli was visited. Crop appears to have been good.
4th ~~xxx~~.	Mahadevapura. (Nelamangala Tq)	Went into the village and made general enquiries.
6th	Ledahalli. (Bangalore Tq.)	On the way to Hoskote went into Ledahalli village ~~on the way~~ and made enquiries. The temple of Kodandaramaswami has been built in Ledahalli by private enterprise.
7th.	Jadigenahalli. Vadigenahalli (Hoskote Tq.)	Made a surprise inspection of Jadigenahalli village in connection with the confidential enquiry. Inspected also lands in Vadigenahalli village.
9th.	Iyarakandapura (Bangalore Tq.)	Went into Iyarakandapura village in connection with the enquiry into a snipe-shooting incident.
13th.	Gargadigarapalya (Doddaballapur Tq.)	Inspected the village.
23rd.	Kethmaranahalli. Barigemuddanahalli (Bangalore Taluk).	Inspection of Nobel's Explosives Magazine along with Mr.Bocquet and the Manager of the Minerva Mills in Bangalore. Visited Kethmaranahalli and Barigemuddanahalli villages in this connection.
MARCH.		
4th.	Munireddipalya. Byadarahalli. (Bangalore Tq.)	Under instructions from Mr.Zadag Z.Shah, A.D.C.to His Highness, went and inspected Munireddipalya and Jodi Byadarahalli, S.& M. Station and ascertained particulars and information was furnished to Mr. Shah.
11th.	Gudemaranahalli. Jodi Sirigenahalli. Harathi. Belagumba. (Nagadi Taluk)	In Gudemaranahalli, on the bigger tank, jungle clearing is necessary. The road passes on it. The Village Panchayat of Gudemaranahalli has an arrear of Rs.2000/-. Vigorous coercive measures are necessary. The village streets in Gudemaranahalli require repairs. In the smaller tank of Gudemaranahalli the sluice is closed and wet lands get the benefit of water only by percolation. In Jodi Sirigenahalli the accounts Nos.14 and 15 have been [illegible] in previous years and this year's account has been promised to be given [illegible]

HARATHI:- Went into the village. On the minor tank, earth work has to be done and jungle has to be cleared on the sides. The Amildar said that he got some jungle cleared on this tank bund. More work remains to be done. The tank has about 3 months supply of water. In the Anjaneyaswamy temple near the village close to the tank, the Puja is going on. Survey No. 17 of Muthurayaswami temple appears to have been alienated in this village. The Amildar has been asked to take needful steps. Survey No.146 of Harathi village appears to have been given as Puduvat to Sri Ranganathaswami temple at Tirumalai. The Amildar said that he would take steps to get the patta made in the name of the god. I wished to make further inspections in Harathi and other villages, but the village officers were not present in spite of instructions given to the Amildar.

BELAGUMBA:- Went into the village. The local fund well is in good order. 4 acres of assessed unoccupied land have been sold for Rs.710 in this village.

15th. Sausmond.
Gunjur.
Doddakannelli.
Agara.
Jakkasandra.

(Bangalore Tq.)

Went into the village of Gunjur. This is a Village Panchayat and arrears have not been collected for the last 3 years. A parapet wall and pully are required to the well in the village, which is at present in a dangerous condition for want of them. The Amildar has been asked to get a parapet wall put up at the cost of the party and warn him that if the parapet wall is not put up action under the Criminal Procedure Code will be taken for having left the well in a dangerous condition. I was informed that two persons fell into the well and were rescued with difficulty. The road passes on the bund of Harallere of Gunjur. Saw Sisal Hemp xxx plantation in Sausmond. It appears to have been planted not long ago and it appears to be thriving well so far.

DODKANNELLI:- Went into the village, saw the cattle pound, which is being now used as latrine. The Patel has been warned and the Amildar has been instructed to punish the Patel should there be further negligence. Ragi crop was good in this place.

AGARA:- Went into the village. This is a Village Panchayat. The Agara tank has water for 3 or 4 months. The District Fund road passes on the Agara tank bund.

JAKKASANDRA:- There is lantana on the village site in this village.

APRIL.

1st. Tirumalai.
(Magadi Taluk)

In the morning visited xxx Tirumale. The following items connected with the temple require attention. The amount that was being used for Santarpane in former years before collections were credited to account has now to be permitted to be used for Santarpane after being credited to account. The Amildar will be asked to make a report in the matter. Cloth

		sanctioned for the temple car has not been purchased for want of an advance. The Amildar will be requested to make a report. Necessary action will be taken. The Puduvat amount of the Tirumale temple has to be collected and properly invested. The Amildar will be asked to pay his personal attention to this question. The Dharmadarsis of the temple have to be reappointed after June next.
7th.	Chickamallur. (Channapatna Tq.)	In the evening went through Chicka Mallur and the Extension of Channapatna town.
8th.	Kuntur Doddi. Abbur Doddi. Abbur. (Channapatna Tq.)	In the morning went from Channapatna to Abbur with the Amildar and Assistant Superintendent of Police, Channapatna, making inspections on the way. The Kabbarstan at Channapatna was inspected about which there is said to be a pending record. Ramammanakere tank was inspected. The jungle on the slopes has to be cleared. The tank has sufficient water for the present Faishari crop. The earthwork is 6 inches below the grade level. The Amildar has been given necessary instructions. In Kuntur Doddi ravi crop is said to have been good, but the paddy crop is said to have been not good, as the tank is not full. Passed through Abbur Doddi. The river has been encroached upon in Abbur village. This encroachment prevents water from flowing freely in the river to the tanks below. The Amildar has been asked to do what he can to prevent the encroachment.
11th.	Hebbagode. Bommasandra. Kachanaikanahalli. Kithiganahalli. (Anekal Tq.)	In the evening visited the lands of Hebbagode, Bommasandra, Kachanaikanahalli and Kithiganahalli in connection with the application for lands made by Major General Lord Ruthven. The tank in Bommasandra to which cattle go was also inspected.
May.		
12th.	Abbur. Kuntur Doddi. Patlu. (Channapatna Tq.)	Passing Ramammanakere and Kuntur Doddi, visited Abbur and returned to Channapatna. The Village Improvement road has been done nicely by the villagers of Patlu and they deserve recognition and concession by way of being granted a grinding water well and a tunnel. I have asked the Amildar and President of the Taluk Board to help the villagers in the matter of these requests. The Abbur Anicut has also to be improved in order that water may go to Patlu tank. The Executive Engineer will be requested to see and furnish information as to what can be done in the matter.
24th.	Sunkenahalli. (Bangalore Tq.)	Visited Kumara Shaila otherwise known as Mount Joy in Sunkenahalli village where Sidhanti Sivasankara Sastry has been doing Puja in the temple. The Luzrai Commissioner has written in the matter of taking action only with regard to the pending questions of this temple. I have instructed the Amildar to collect the arrears of about Rs.500 which are said to be due and to take action to remove the Archak who is said to be unfit for Archak's place on account of leprosy.

27th. Avati.
Koramangala.
Gobrakunte.
Kumbarakunte.
Hunasummanahalli
(Devanahalli Tq.)

In the morning visited Avati, Koramangala, Gobrakunte and Kumbarakunte villages in connection with the darkhast of Mr.Miller for lands for Sisal Hemp cultivation.

Visited the Matt at Hunusummanahalli. The Mutt is in a flourishing condition and the Swamy appears to be a liberal minded man. He maintains a school and a dispensary and feeds travellers who go to the place.

29th. Somanapalya.
Tirumalai.
(Magadi Tq.)

From Magadi went to Somanapalya and inspected the temple where work is being done by the D.P.W. for the renovation of Someswara temple. Visited the pond near the temple, where a certain water plant is spoiling the water. At the desire of Mr.Karnick Krishnamurty Rao, gave a letter to Mr.Krumbiegal to examine this plant and give his advice for eradicating it. Mr. Karnick Krishnamurty Rao tells me that 3 pillars in the temple are to be straightened out and 3 pillars ~~xxxxxxxxxxx~~ are to be lifted up. I have written to the Executive Engineer for revising the estimate which has been prepared for the renovation of the temple. Mr.Karnick Krishnamurty Rao wants the repair of the Ammanavaru temple to be undertaken and he proposes to give a part of the cost.

Inspected the well at Tirumale, which the Muzrai Department is sinking. It has got 13 feet of water and the total amount spent till now is said to be Rs.700/-.

30th. Karalamangala.
Veeregowdana-
doddi.
(Magadi Tq.)

In Karalamangala, the people complain that the Economic Department is not giving help to the Tile Factory which is in difficulties now. The Director of Industries and Commerce will be communicated with on this point. More rain is anxiously awaited in these parts. Lands have been ploughed and kept ready. In Veeregowdana Doddi inspected the School. There are two teachers in the School and the villagers want more aid from the Education Department.

JUNE 23.

6th. Haragadde.
Jigani.
Bannerghatta.
(Anekal Tq.)

HARAGADDE:- There is plague in this village, but there is neither evacuation nor inoculation. The Amildar has been asked to prevent the spread of plague. I saw one suffering from plague in the village. In the tank bed of the village, the contractor who did tank work appears to have made pits interfering with the path in the tank bed, which the villagers were using. The Executive Engineer will be written to to see what can be done in the matter. I have instructed the Village Panchayat also to see what can be done by themselves.

JIGANI:- ~~xxxxxxxx~~ Went into the village. The Police Out-Post is located in the Chavadi. Saw the Village Panchayat; this seems to be working satisfactorily. The Village Panchayat has no arrears to collect, Rs.517 having been collected during the year. The Village

Panchayat has two sweepers. It does not ~~xxxxxx~~ maintain any lamps. Some drains have been constructed for the Panchayat. In the Village Court one case is pending, out of 27 cases instituted during the year. 258 cases were instituted from the commencement. A list of members that are to be co-opted with the Chairman should be hung up. The people of Jigani want the school to be converted into a rural A.V. School. Saw the well that is being sunk in Jigani village. The work appears to be progressing.

BANNERGHATTA:-- Went into the village and visited the temple and Chattram. The Puja appears to be going on satisfactorily in the temple.

18th. Chikkamuduvadi. (Kankanahalli Tq.)

Went to the Police Station. Tiles are being newly put on the verandah in front. The school was closed as it was Monday evening. The Hindustani School was also closed.

20th. Harohalli. (Kankanahalli Tq.)

HAROHALLI:- The road passes on the major tank in this village. The jungle growth has to be cleared on the sides of this tank. Some sugarcane has been grown under the tank. The tank has 1 month's supply of water now. In the Bhimeswaraswami temple, the Archak is said to have gone away without making proper arrangements for the worship. The Amildar will be asked to take needful action. The shandy of Harohalli was going on at the time of my inspection. Went into the village. In the Musafirkhana at Harohalli, the flooring is not well done. The roof leaks. White-ants have eaten away the timber used and the tiles have fallen down. How the Public Works Department passed work like this is not clear. Visited Arunachaleswaraswami temple in the village of Harohalli; the Puja appears to be going on here fairly satisfactorily. One Subbaraya a retired Post Master has complaints. The Amildar will be asked to investigate them. There are 3 sweepers in this village. The streets deserve to be better swept. The Panchayat appears to have no arrears. The Chairman of the Panchayat and the Shanbog do not appear to be on good terms. The Amildar will take needful action and set matters right. Harohalli is an investigating centre. 10 guns are in deposit. The roof is leaky. The Khazi of the Masjid at Harohalli wants pay which his father was getting. The Amildar says that he has made reference to the Sub Division Officer. The records will be called for and necessary action taken. Visited Chamundeswari temple which has been newly built in the village by exertions of the village people. Visited Gopalakrishnaswamy temple. The Puja seems to be going on satisfactorily.

B Sanjeeva Rao

Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.

Statement showing the dates on which interior villages were inspected with details of work done. (From July 1922 to December 1922).

Date.	Name of the interior village.	Details of work done.
JULY 22.		
5th.	Satanur, Devanahalli Taluk.	In connection with the darkhast application from Mr.H.Saliah Mahomed Sait, Proprietor of Ahmed & Co., Cash Bazar, C.& M.Station, Bangalore, for appropriation of Gomal S.Nos.52 and 59 of Satnur village, Devanahalli Taluk, for dry cultivation and sheep farming, proceeded to the village and inspected the lands and the locality in company with the Amildar, the village officials and villagers and darkhastdars. The villagers had no objection for the grant of the land for cultivation.
13th.	Baradanahalli, Kankanahalli Tq.	In the morning went to Baradanahalli alone with the Sub Division Officer and the Amildar. The village officers and villagers were all present. Full enquiry was made. There was however no probability of an amicable settlement between the two factions. The villagers want to build houses on S.No.73 alone for the acquisition of which they had already paid the required amount.
AUGUST 22.		
18th.	Binnamangala, Devanahalli Tq.	Accompanied the Second Member of Council.
25th.	Gangenahalli, Magadi Taluk.	Do.
SEPT.22.		
19th.	Vaddarapalya, Kankanahalli Tq.	
October 22.		Nil.
November 22.		
December 22.		

B. Sambasiva Rao

Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.

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D.O. No. C. Dis. 229/23-24

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District.

Chikmagalur, Dated 31st August 1923

Dear Sir,

In continuation of my D.O.No. 43/23-24 dated 20th instant, I enclose herein, in original, Memo No. Gl. 2315 of 23-24 dated 18th August 1923 and letter No. 35/23-24 dated 30th August 1923 received from the Sub Division Officers of Tarikere and Chikmagalur, respectively, furnishing particulars regarding touring work done by them on horse-back.

Rcvd. 4/9/23.

Yours sincerely,

M G Krishnasastri

G. Sundara Rao, Esq., B.A.,
Private Secretary to the Dewan
of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

No. S.Hc. 35 (e)
23-24

Office of the Assistant Commissioner,
In charge of Chikmagalur Taluk,
Dated, Chikmagalur, 30th August 1923.

From

K. Subba Rao, Esquire, B.A.,
Assistant Commissioner,
In charge of Chikmagalur Taluk,
C H I K M A G A L U R.

To

M. G. Krishnaswami Rao, Esquire, B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District,
C H I K M A G A L U R.

Sir
to be sent to the
Private Secy to the Dewan
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31.8.23

Sir,

In reply to your D.O.letter.No.42 dated 13-8-23, asking me to report the number of days on which I toured out on horse-back during the year 22-23, with details of mileage covered on such occasions, I have the honor to note below the information required.

Month.	No.of days travelled on horse -back.	Mileage covered.
September 22.	1 day	18 miles.
December 22	8 days	118 miles.
January 23.	3 days	33 miles.
March 23.	6 days	117 miles.
April 23.	1 day	12 miles.
Total.	19 days.	298 miles.

From the above, it will be observed that the occasions on which I made use of a horse were practically confined to the Huzur Jamabandy of the Chikmagalur Taluk which I conducted during the Christmas Holidays (December and January) and in the month of March. At other times, I got no respite from the Treasury work and consequently, had very little scope

scope for itineration.

In this connection I may be permitted to state that the journey mentioned in the tabular statement was performed on the back of a horse, kindly lent to me by a friend. I have not maintained a pony, and the reasons therefor I have set forth in my letter to you No.C.Per.46-2/22-23, dated 20th June 1923, a copy of which I herein enclose for ready reference.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Assistant Commissioner,

Chikmagalur Taluk,

HAS. Chikmagalur.

Letter No.C.Per.46-2/22-23, dated 20th June 1923, from the Assistant Commissioner, In charge of Chikmagalur, to the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur District.

With reference to your No.C.Per.58-1/22-23, dated 19th June 23, enquiring whether I have purchased a riding pony, I have the honor to reply in the negative, and to state that ever since the communication of the previous memo on the subject dated 9th April 1923, I have not had even a day's intermission to go to Bangalore for the purpose of selecting a suitable mount.

2. In this connection, I beg to point out that in the peculiar circumstances in which I am placed, the horse would be next to useless to me for the purposes of travelling. The only day in the week on which I can go out of Head Quarters is Sunday and by making use of the horse as the means of conveyance, the to-and-fro travelling itself would occupy a considerable part of the day, and I will not generally have enough time to attend to the work for which the journey was undertaken. I have found it not possible to do the journey on the horse-back on Saturday evenings unless the distance to be covered was short. The Treasury usually closes between 5 and 6 P.M. and before closing the accounts and siging the weekly cash balance report I cannot leave the office. In such cases, the bicycle is a more useful vehical since I can cover the distance in a shorter interval and reach the destination before night fall. When the journey to be performed is over 15 miles I have found the bullock cart to be the only possible means of conveyance as I can do the travelling at nights, and have a clear day for inspection or other work.

3. The object of the rule as I understand it, requiring every Revenue Officer to keep a pony is to enable him to visit interior villages so that he may come into contact with the ryots in even remote parts, and learn their needs at first hand and also to compel him to make slow marches in day time over roads and across country so that his inspections may be thorough. In my case, I have no opportunity to do any such thing. While my services are being requisitioned for meeting any and every kind of emergency, I am not in turn , given relief from Treasury for a few days in the month in order to enable me to attend to out-door work. I am forced to

postponed

postpone indefinitely urgent inspections, enquiries and revenue sales simply because there is no other officer available who could be placed in charge of the Treasury during my absence. To take casual leave has become a practical impossibility in my case.

4. It may be said that no exception can be made in individual cases. But I beg to submit that the enforcement of the rule without regard to circumstances would be severely felt by the junior officers when they have to meet the cost of maintenance out of their pay. For instance, in my own case after deductions towards house-rent, Life Insurance and Income-tax, I get Rs.170/- every month. Now, as every one knows a horse requires at least Rs.40/- per month to keep it in a decent condition. If inspite of what I have stated it is decided that I should maintain an animal, all that I can do is to bow to the decision, and request for the grant of 4 or 5 days leave so that I may go to Bangalore and purchase a suitable pony from the Military Department.

5. In the end, I beg to add that personally, I very much desire to keep a pony and use it as often as possible, for riding is invigorating and conducive to health. But in the absence of reasonable facilities for itineration the maintenance of a horse would be a costly luxury which I cannot afford to enjoy with the limited means at my disposal.

'COPY'

Assistant Commissioner,

HAS. Chikmagalur Taluk,

C.C. No. 431
23-25

Memo.

Submitted to the Dy. Comr. Kachin Districts

I have turned out only 20 miles on horseback during the year 22-23. As I was in charge of the District Treasury there was not much occasion for me to ride.

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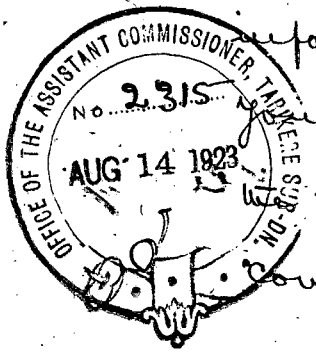
D.O. No. 36-43 dated 12th August 1923 from the private Secretary to the Dewan to the Dy Commissioner Kadur District

I am desired by the Dewan to request you to be so good as to let me know, for his information, the number of days on which you have toured out on horseback, for the year 1922-23, with details of miles covered on such occasions.

Similar figures may also be kindly furnished for the Assistant Commissioners working under you.



D.O. No. 41

Copy of the above is forwarded to the Sub Division Assistant Commissioner Tarikere for early report.

13.8.23.

Dy Commissioner
Kadur

D.O. No. 43/23-24
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Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District.

Chikmagalur, Dated...20th..August...1923

Dear Sir,

As desired in your D.O.No.36-43 dated 12th August 1923, I enclose herein for the information of the Dewan, a statement shewing the particulars of touring work done by me on horseback during the year 1922-23. Similar particulars have been called for from the Sub Division Assistant Commissioners of Tarikere and Chikmagalur and on receipt, I shall forward them to you. But for my having been out of head-quarters, I should have sent this to you much Earlier -

Yours sincerely,

M. Krishnaswami Rao

To

G.Sundara Rao, Esq., B.A.,

Private Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore,

Bangalore.

Rcvd. 21/8/23.

Statement shewing the particulars of touring work, done on horseback, by the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur District during the year 1922-23.

Date.	Miles.
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29-12-1922	15
31-12-1922.	12
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17-1-1923	15
11-2-1923	18
12-2-1923	16
14-2-1923	10
15-2-1923	14
16-2-1923	12
21-2-1923	13
23-2-1923	11
4-4-1923.	10
5-4-1923	13
6-4-1923	15
14-5-1923	15
13-6-1923	12
14-6-1923	8
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M G Krishnaswamy

Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District.

No. ...O... No 39
23-4.

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Mysore District,

Dated Mysore, 10th Sep. 1923.

Dear Sir,

With reference to your D.O. letter No. 36-43 ~~dat~~ (x) dated the 12th August 1923, I append in the margin the information furnished by the Assistant Commissioners in charge of Sub Divisions in this District. Mr. T.Govinda Rao has added the following remark " it has not been usual to note in the diaries whether journeys and inspections were performed on horseback. More-over, it is not always possible to use horse for inspections in the interior as the Revenue Officer's duties take him to places to which he could not ride or drive but walk. Wherever possible, horses are used during inspections & tours". As regards myself, I beg to state that (I regret) I have not kept a record to furnish the required information, though I may mention that inspections in the interior are done on horseback generally.

Sub. D. 4/9/23.

Yours sincerely,

For Deputy Commissioner,
Mysore District
(Absent from station)

G.Sundara Rao, Esquire, B.A.,
Private Secretary to the Dewan
of Mysore,
Bangalore.

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D.O. No. R.H.C.134/23-M. Ex 2.

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
KOLAR DISTRICT,
Kolar, Dated 11th Sep 1923.

Subdn. G. 12.9.23.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your ... letter no. 36-43 dated the 12th August 1923 asking for information regarding the number of miles done on horse back by me and the sub-division officers during the year 1922-23, I enclose herewith the copies of replies received from the sub-division officers.

As regards myself, I am sorry I did not maintain a record showing the mileage covered on horse-back but I remember I did on horse-back a large amount of inspection of interior villages. I shall hereafter maintain such a record. I have instructed the sub-division officers to similarly maintain one in -

Letter No.H.C.94/23-24 dated 28th August 1923 from the Sub-division Officer, Chickballapur, to the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District.

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With reference to your memo No.R.H.C. 134/23-24 dated 17th August 1923, I have the honour to state that I have toured for 136 days in the previous year and as I do not own a car now, most of the tour was accomplished in my trap and on horse-back. I am sorry I have not maintained an accurate record of the number of days and the miles so covered but I think that I must have gone on horse-back on tour for at least 25% of the journeys performed. This is exclusive of the morning rides I indulge in, while at head quarters whenever I have no judgment to write or other writing work to attend to.

I may be permitted to add that I was on privilege leave for one month during the year and in spite of that, I was able to completely utilise the allotment of the T.A. of this sub-division.

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"C o p y"

Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.

M.Dis.H.J.199/23-24. Submitted to the Dy.Commissioner,Kolar Dt. A statement showing the information called for is prepared and submitted herewith.

Name of Assistant Commissioner.	Month and year.	No.of miles toured on horse-back.	No.of miles covered.
Mr.M.Navaneetham Naidu,B.A.,B.L., Sub-division Officer,Kolar.	September 22.	4.	71.
	October 22.	3.	43.
	November 22.	7.	79.
	December 22.	11.	173.
	January 23.	14.	155.
	February 23.	8.	106.
	March 23.	5.	85.
Transferred to Clospet Sub Dn.	April 23.	9.	103.
	Total.	61.	815.
Mr. B.Srinivasa Iyengar,B.A.,B.L., Treasury Assistant Commissioner, and in charge of Kolar Taluk.	September 22.	1.	7.
	October.	4.	32.
	November	6.	45.
	December	12.	120.
	January 23.	3.	30.
	February	3.	27
	March)	Engaged in taluk treasury in-	
	April.)	-spection.	
B. As sub-division officer,Kolar Sub-Dn.	May 23.	7.	130.
	June23.	7.	126.
	Total.	43.	517.

This information has been gathered so far as it is available from the diaries and Travelling Allowance bills.

Sd.B.Srinivasa Iyengar,

Sub-division Officer,Kolar sub-dn.
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Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,

Tumkur District,

D.O 58 / 23-24

Dated Tumkur, the 20th September 1923.

Dear sir,

In continuation of my D.O. No.24/1923-24 dated the 14th August 1923, I enclose herein a statement showing the particulars regarding the touring on horseback done by the Assistant Commissioners working in this District.

Revd. 22/9/23.

yours sincerely,

For Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District.

G. Sundara Rao, Esquire, B.A.,

Private Secretary to the Dewan

of Mysore,

Bangalore.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PARTICULARS REGARDING THE TOURING ON HORSEBACK DONE BY THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS DURING 1922-1923. TUMKUR DISTRICT.

No.	Name and Designation.	No. of days toured out on horseback.	Total no, of miles toured on horseback.	Details of mileage covered. (No appeals)
1.	Mr.T.Abdul Khader,B.A., Gubbi Sub Division Officer.	45	483	88
2.	Mr.Venkatesaengar,M.A., Sub Division Officer, Maddagir.	7	80	-
3.	Mr.S.Reuben, B.A., Treasury Assistant Commissioner in charge of Tumkur Taluk.	27	336	202
4.	Mr.P.H.Krishna Rao,M.A., District Superintendent ofPolice.	85	-	1478

For Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District.

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D.O.No. C. 18/23-24 Encl OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,

HASSAN DISTRICT,

Dated Hassan, the 12th October 1923.

Dear Mr. Sundara Rao,

In continuation of my D.O. No. C.18/23-24 dated the 27th August 1923, I send herewith, a copy of the statement shewing the number of miles travelled on horseback by Mr. B. Narayana sami Iyengar, B.A., B.L., Assistant Commissioner, Saklespur Sub Division, from 8th November 1922 when he assumed charge of Saklespur Sub Division to 30th June 1923.

Rcd. 15/9/23.

Mr. T. Ramaiya, the late Assistant Commissioner of Holenarsipur Sub Division writes to say that, roughly half the road journey performed by him during the year might have been done on horse-back and that he is unable to give any definite figures.

Mr. P. Suryanarayana Setti, the late Treasury Assistant Commissioner in charge of Hassan Taluk and Alur Sub Taluk reports that he was not maintaining a horse and that he performed his journeys sometimes on bicycle and sometimes on foot.

Yours sincerely,

K Sundara Rao

To

G. Sundara Rao, Esq., B.A.,

Private Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore,

BANGALORE.

Statement shewing the number of miles travelled on horse-back, by Mr. B. Narayanasami Iyengar, B.A., B.L., Assistant Commissioner, Saklespur Sub Division from 8th November 1922 to 30th June 1923.

Date.	Particulars of journey.	No. of miles travelled.
14-11-22.	Saklespur to Hanbal.	12
15-11-22.	Hanbal to Bartinhalla Estate, Devaladakere and back.	10
16-11-22.	Hanbal to Jambardi and back.	5
17-11-22.	Hanbal to Saklespur.	12
22-11-22.	Belur to Halebid and thence to Mathigatta and back to Halebid.	12
22-12-22	Belur to Cheekanhally.	12
23-12-22	Cheekanhally to Arehally.	10
24-12-22.	Arehally to Saklespur.	9
28-12-22.	Kundur to Bharthur and back.	12
29-12-22.	Kundur to Ponnathpur and back..	14
1- 1-23.	Palya to Bommachihally and back.	26
25-1- 23.	Belur to Halebid.	10
27- 1-23.	Halebid to Hagare.	10
18-2- 23.	Arehally to Anughatta & 3 other villagers and back to Arehally.	8
12- 4-23	Belur to Chenhally and back.	8
13- 4-23	Belur to Halebid.	10
19- 5-23	Belur to Chenhally and back.	7
20- 5-23.	Belur to Madaghatta and back.	7
25-5- 23	Yeslur to Kerodi and back.	9½
26- 5-23	Yeslur to Chengadihally and back.	9
	" to Thonthlapura and back.	2½
10- 6-23	Hagare to Halthore and back.	7
11- 6-23	Hagare to Mudigudda kaval and back.	10
12- 6-23	Hagare to Adagur.	6
13-6-23.	Adagur to Gangur and back.	14
14-6-23.	Adagur to Gangur. ...	5

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17-6-25.	Gangur to Siddapur.	...	5
18-6-25.	Siddapur to Halebid.	...	$2\frac{1}{2}$
		T o t a l.	$264\frac{1}{2}$

" C O P Y "

K Srikantha Rao

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
HASSAN DISTRICT.

No: D.O.15/Rev.23-24.

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Shimoga District.

Dated Shimoga 7th November 1923.

Dear Sir,

With reference to your D.O. letter No: 36-43 dated the 12th August 1923, ~~xxx~~ desiring me to furnish information as regards the mileage done on horseback by me and my Assistant Commissioners, I beg to furnish the same for the information of the Dewan overleaf.@ I may add that I ride every day when I am at Head Quarters and do the inspection of town and adjoining villages and this has not been taken into consideration in calculating the mileage.

~~Yours sincerely~~,

G. Sundara Rao, Esq., B.A.,

Private Secretary to the Dewan,

Bangalore.

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		Days.	Miles.
1.	Mr. A. K. Syed Taj Peeran, Deputy Commissioner.	17	214
2.	Mr. M. S. Ramachandra Rao, Sub Division Officer, Sagar.	30	180
3.	" N. Sundararaja Iyengar, Sub Division Officer, Thirthahalli Sub Division.	75	1250
4.	" C. Krishna Rao, District Superintendent of Police.	75	1263
5.	" K. Guru Dutt, Treasury Assistant Commissioner.	Nil.	

"Yours Sincerely"

D.O. No. 127/23-24 *Office of the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.*

Bangalore 16th November *1923*

Dear Mr.Anantaraman,

With reference to your D.O. No.7905 dated 15th November 1923 re the G.O.issuing rules regarding the maintenance of suitable mounts by the Executive Officers of the Revenue Department, I would refer you to G.O.No.R.13015-24/L.R. 65-18-15 dated 9th April 1919 printed in the monthly - - proceedings book for April 1919, which requires that every Assistant Commissioner in charge of a Revenue Sub Division should maintain one horse. I am also sending you copy of a recent letter from the Revenue Secretary(No.R. 1610/L.R. 43-23-2 dated 4th October 1923) in the matter of exempting Treasury Assistant Commissioners from maintaining ponies. It would appear from this letter that all Assistant Commissioners that are liable to be put in charge of Sub Divisions are bound to maintain ponies as per rules.

Yours Sincerely,

H.C.Ramaswamy.

Letter No.R.1610/L1R.43-23-2 dated the 4th October 23 from the Secretary to the Government of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore, Revenue Department to the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

With reference to your letter No.C.658 dated the 15th August 1923 recommending that Assistant Commissioners in charge of the District Treasuries may be exempted from maintaining ponies for riding, I am directed to state that Government cannot accept the recommendation made. Assistant Commissioners are liable to be put in charge of Sub Division or Treasury according to the exigencies of the service, and it is not desirable that they should lose touch with riding. I am to request that the rules regarding maintenance of suitable ponies may be strictly enforced.

"C O P Y"

H V Ramaswamy.

MAN. For Revenue Commissioner.

S. O.

Maintaining Suitable Mounts.

No. R. 13015-24—L. R. 65-18-15, DATED 9TH APRIL 1919.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

Order No R. 13015-24—L. R. 65-18-15, dated 9th April 1919.

Under Government Order No. R. 4481-523—R. F. 26-1898, dated 10th June 1903, every Amildar and Deputy Amildar is required to maintain at least one good riding horse or pony. The Assistant Commissioners are permitted under Government Order No. R. 3894-935, dated 14th April 1903, to perform their inspection on horse-back or on foot or in an open carriage. No obligation on their part to maintain riding animals has however, been definitely laid down. The means of locomotion to be used by the Deputy Commissioners during their tours, have not been specifically prescribed. It is however a recognised principle that all executive officers entrusted with the inspection of villages, etc., should be good and active horsemen and maintain suitable mounts. Recently Government have had occasion to remark on the inadequacy of Village Inspection by Deputy Commissioners and their subordinate executive officers.

2. In order to secure uniformity in the matter and to ensure the satisfactory discharge of inspection work on the part of Revenue Officers of all grades, the Government are pleased to lay down the following rules for future guidance:—

(1) Deputy Commissioners will henceforth be required to maintain at least one horse for inspection work.

(2) Every Assistant Commissioner in charge of a Revenue Sub-Division will likewise be required to maintain one horse.

(3) Government Order, dated 10th June 1903, regarding Amildars and Deputy Amildars should be strictly enforced in future.

(4) The Revenue Commissioner is requested to obtain and review at the end of every half-year, the return of horses and saddlery owned by Officers who should certify the fact of their maintaining at least one horse in their quarterly tour statements.

(5) To enable officers to secure suitable mounts, the Chief Commandant, will be requested to supply from the cast horses of the Military Department requirements of officers at a reasonable upset price, as far as possible recovering the amount in twelve monthly instalment

B. RAMASWAMAIYA,
Secy. to Govt., Rev. Dept.

To—The Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.
The Chief Commandant, Mysore State Troops.
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
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Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

G. O. No. R. 13015-24—L. R. 65-18-15, dated 9th April 1919.

Maintaining Suitable Mounts.

Issues revised rules regarding —— by all Executive officers in the Revenue Department.

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OFFICE OF THE
INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE

Dated Bangalore, the 17th Novembe~~x~~92:

Dear Sir,

In reply to your D.O.letter No.7906 dated 15th instant asking for a copy of Government Order under which the Police Superintendents are bound to maintain suitable mounts, I write to inform you that this subject was dealt with in this Office letter No.C.895/21 dated 28th March 1922 to the Chief Secretary to Government upon which final orders of Government in No.E.A.5863-80 dated 28th June 22 were received that all officers on Executive duty should be insisted upon to maintain suitable mounts (copy enclosed

As I had gone to Mysore yesterday I could not reply to your letter earlier.

Yours sincerely,

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K.V.Anantaraman,Esq.,B.A.,
Under Secretary to Government of
Mysore,Bangalore.

General and Revenue Secretariat,
Bangalore, 28th June 1922.

No.E.A.5863-80.

CIRCULAR MEMORANDUM

The statistics furnished by the Head of Executive departments discloses that in spite of liberal terms offered by Government for the loan of horses from the Military, the response so far has not been very satisfactory. Some of the officers who are on executive duty have not maintained any mounts at all, while some others have maintained horses not of the required standard. The attention of the Heads of the Executive Departments is invited to G.O.No.M.2158-217/Milt.96-21-2, dated the 11th November 1921, with a request that they will insist upon their subordinate officers to equip themselves with suitable mounts, availing themselves, if necessary, of the facilities afforded to them in the above order.

By Order,
Sd. T. Appegowda,
For Chief Secretary to Government.

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Asst. to the Inspector General of Police.

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Proceedings of the Government of
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Bangalore, 23rd Nov. 1923.

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3. In future, Heads of Departments should mention in the Confidential Reports about officers working under them whether they maintain horses and use them for inspection work.

Secy. to Govt.
Revenue Department.

The Revenue Commr. in Mysore.
The Heads of Departments and
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

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